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In re Application of
Brian T. Rosenberger, et al.
Application No. 10/696,631
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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) to revive the above-identified application, filed November 13, 2007.

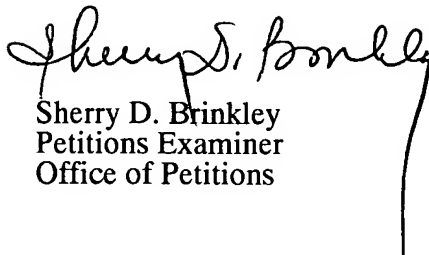
The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application became abandoned for failure s to timely pay the issue and publication fees on or before October 16, 2006, as required by the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due, mailed July 14, 2006, which set a statutory period for reply of three (3) months. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on November 15, 2006. On November 13, 2007, the present petition was filed.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of the \$1,440 issue fee and the \$300 publication fee; (2) the petition fee of \$1,540; and (3) an adequate statement of unintentional delay.

The application is being referred to the Office of Data Management to be processed into a patent.

Telephone inquiries related to this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3204. Telephone inquiries related to processing as a patent should be directed to (571) 272-4200.


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